

DR. O. T. AVERY HONORED

Discoveries in Bacteriology Win Academy Gold Medal

Dr. Oswald T. Avery, for the last thirty years a member of the staff of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, received the New York Academy of Medicine Gold Medal for distinguished service in medicine at a ceremony last night at the Academy, 1034 Street and Fifth Avenue.

The presentation was made by Dr. Arthur Freeborn Chace, president of the Academy. The citation read that Dr. Avery's "investigations have led to discoveries and great advances in the science of bacteriology."

Dr. Avery was born in Halifax, Nova Scotia, in 1877. He received his A. B. from Colgate and his M. D. from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, in 1904.